

much or more ago.

Keep your little son for me - and accept  
for yourself the warm regards of my wife, daughter  
Lily. My daughter will never forget me  
and stand side for her to Henry -

Love from  
Ernestine

Rev. A. A. Phelps -



Gerrit Smith

Peterboro July 11. 1839

Dear Br. Phelps,

Br. Cantrill, with whom I am much pleased, I send me your letter. I appreciate his cause - but I am unwilling to enterprising to the extent of my pecuniary means. I have, I think, a trifle.

I am very sorry, that you will not be able to attend the Natl. Convention in Albany. I hope to be there - though the severe medical treatment I am undergoing for a slight spinal affection may prevent my being there. I trust not however.

I am distressed at the division of our friends in Prof. - & that it should be so angry a division is especially painful. W. L. Garrison & his non-resistant friends are in my judgment, wrong in opposing Revolution in favor of political action - and it seems to me that you & your friends make a needless add about "Woman's rights". A brief article from my pen showing my views of the above course of W. L. Garrison will soon appear in print. It was written a